

Question 1: Pesticide Law Worksheets

Reference:

Applying Pesticides Correctly - A Guide for Private and Commercial Applicators

Unit 2: Pesticide Labeling, Page 7

Restricted Use Pesticide

When a pesticide is classified as restricted, the label will state “Restricted Use Pesticide” at the top of the front panel. Below this heading may be a statement describing the reason for the restricted use classification. Usually another statement will describe the category of certified applicator that can purchase and use the product. Pesticides that are unclassified have no designation on the product label.

Only licensed pesticide applicators may legally purchase a restricted use pesticide (RUP). Licensed private applicators may have an unlicensed individual pickup or receive delivery of RUPs if the licensed private applicator has placed a letter on file with the dealer, identifying the recipient by name.

RUP designations are assigned to pesticides for a variety of reasons, such as acute toxicity to humans, animals, or plant life, or potential groundwater hazards, human health hazards, danger to aquatic habitat, and other concerns.